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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

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NTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED
PCT/US03/33613	24 October 2003	24October 2002
TITLE OF INVENTION ALKYNE DERIVATIVES AS TRACERS FOR METABOTROPIC GLUTAMATE RECEPTOR BINDING		
		, Jeffrey Roger Roppe, Thomas Jonathan Seiders,
Celine Bonnefous, Matthew P. Braun, Dennis C. Dean, Joseph Paul Simeone, Terrence Gerard Hamill, Donald Burns  Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and		
other information:		
1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.		
2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.		
3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures [35 U.S.C. 371(f)]. The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.		
4. X The US has been elected (PCT Article 31).		
5. A copy of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)]		
a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).		
b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.		
c. X is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).		
6. An English language transla	ation of the International Application a	
<b>=</b>	submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).	
7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)].		
a. are attached hereto (r	required only if not communicated by t	* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *
<u> </u>	ated by the International Bureau.	
<u> </u>	however, the time limit for making suc	ch amendments has NOT expired.
d. have not been made a		
8. An English language transla	ation of the amendments to the claims u	under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)].
	e inventor(s) [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)].	
10. An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT  Article 36 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)].		
	r document(s) or information include	
	Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98	
is included.	r recording. A separate cover sheet in	compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31
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14. An Application Data Sheet	under 37 CFR 1.76.	
15. A substitute specification.		
16. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.		
17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 31er 2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.		
18. A second copy of the published International Application under 18 Mar 154(d)(4). 7 (42153) 12408		
	th language translation of the interpreta-	DEPOSITED WITH THE VARIED STATES FOSTAL 54(d)(4).
20.  Other items or information:	ON THE SOU	ABOVE DATE IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO BASSIONER FOR INTENTS, P.O. BOX 1458.  METADORIA, MICENIA 2500 JASSA  METADORIA, MICENIA 2500 JASSA  METADORIA, MICENIA 2500 JASSA  METADORIA, MICENIA 2500 JASSA

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Approved for use through 3/31/2007. OMB 0651-0021 U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER **CFR 1.5)** MS0013YP PCT/US03/33613 PTO USE ONLY CALCULATIONS The following fees are submitted: 21. X Basic national fee.....\$300 \$300.00 22. X Examination fee If International preliminary examination report prepared by USPTO and all claims satisfy provisions All other situations.......\$200 \$200.00 23. X Search fee Search fee [37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)] has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority.....\$100 International Search Report prepared and provided to the Office.....\$400 \$100.00 All other situations....\$500 TOTAL OF 21, 22 and 23= \$600.00 Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof. Number of each additional 50 or fraction Total Sheets Extra Sheets thereof (round up to a whole number) **RATE** 73 - 100 = /50 \$250.00 X \$0.00 Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date [37 CFR 1.492(e)]. **NUMBER EXTRA** NUMBER FILED CLAIMS RATE \$100.00 Total Claims - 20 =  $\mathbf{X}$ \$50.00 Х \$400.00 Independent Claims 2 \$200.00 - 3 = \$360.00 MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) \$1,100.00 TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS (SUBTOTAL) Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)]. TOTAL NATIONAL FEE \$1,100.00 Fee for recording the enclosed assignment [37 CFR 1.21(h)]. The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property. TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED \$1,100.00 Amount to be refunded: Amount to be charged: A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_ \_\_\_ to cover the above fees is enclosed. Please charge my Deposit Account No. 13-2755 in the amount of \$1,100.00 to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to the Deposit Account No. 13-2755. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive [37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)] must be filed and granted to restore the International Application to pending status. SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: Customer No. 000210 MERCK & CO., INC. Patent Department, RY60-30 P.O. Box 2000 126 East Lincoln Avenue Rahway, New Jersey 07065-0970 David A. Rubin **NAME** DATE: April 25, 2005 40,314 PHONE #: (732) 594-2675 REGISTRATION NUMBER